



Appl. No. 10/716,231  
Amdt. Dated August 14, 2006  
Reply to Office action of March 13, 2006

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Hilmar Meier  
Appln. No. : 10/716,231  
Filed : November 18, 2003  
Title : METHOD FOR ADAPTING A HEARING DEVICE TO A  
MOMENTARY ACOUSTIC SITUATION AND A HEARING  
DEVICE

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Examiner : Daniel Swerdlow

Customer No. : 000,116  
Docket No. : 35469US1

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT "A"

Sir:

This amendment is filed in response to the Office action dated March 13, 2006. The three-month period for responding to the Office action expired on June 13, 2006. Please extend the time for a response by two months, to August 14, 2006. A check for the \$450.00 extension of time fee is enclosed. Please amend the above-identified application in the following manner:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 9 of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the date indicated below.

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